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DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN CONTACTED BY AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINES RE ITS INTEREST IN EXPLORING POSSIBILITY OF EXPANDING U.S. FLAG CONTAINER SERVICE TO IRAN. IN THIS RESPECT, HENRY KOZLOWSKI, VICE PRESIDENT FOR PLANNING, APL'S SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE IS CONSIDERING POSSIBLE VISIT TO TEHRAN, WEEK BEGINNING MARCH 31, PROVIDED MEETING WITH RESPONSIBLE GOI MARITIME AUTHORITIES CAN BE ARRANGED. RECOGNIZING IRANIAN NEW YEAR BEGINS MARCH 21 AND CUSTOM OF A TWO WEEK HOLIDAY, EMBASSY IS REQUESTED &O ADVISE ON AVAILABILITY OF GOI OFFICIALS AND, IF AVAILABLE, SUGGESTED TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF APPOINTMENTS. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE RESPONSE ASAP SINCE KOZLOWSKI DEPARTING FOR EUROPE MARCH 15 AND IRANIAN VISIT WOULD FOLLOW EUROPEAN CALLS. IF NOT POSSIBLE, KOZLOWSKI WILL MOST LIKELY SCHEDULE VISIT TO TEHRAN LATTER LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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